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LOCAL ITEMS

Chinook United Church Sunday school will commence at 10.30 a.m., instead of 11 o'clock as heretofore.

F. F. Tracy shipped a car load of farm machinery and horses to his farm near Lacombe last week.

Mrs. M. Neff, of Calgary, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Neff.

Mrs. S. Hocknell, of Kinmundy, left on Friday for Lubrose, Sask., where she will visit her daughter.

J. P. Watson returned on Thursday from Calgary. During the recent Alberta Legislative Assembly at Edmonton, Mr. Watson was representing the U.F.A. paper in the press gallery.

Service will be held in the Chinook United Church next Sunday morning at 11.30.

Harold Stewart returned on Monday to Calgary, where he will resume his studies at the Technical School.

Miss Mae Petersen returned on Monday to Drumheller.

Mrs. R. C. Fraser, of Naco, who has been attending the Teachers' Convention in Edmonton, returned on Tuesday.

The golf enthusiast is out. Spring is here. The other day one of our citizens narrowly escaped being hit with one of those white pills the golfers use. A lady practicing in the back yard got off the fairway the other morning when her ball came whizzing past a pedestrian who was walking down the road fifty yards away. It was a close call, but a good drive!

A. J. Munford returned on Friday from Winnipeg, where he has been spending the winter.

The Chinook Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. R. Strigley on Wednesday afternoon, May 4. A paper will be read by Mrs. W. Hurley. Roll call will be answered by exchange of apron patterns.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Mayfield, of Crystal district, at the Cereal Hospital, on Monday, April 25, a daughter.

Coming to Chinook on Wednesday evening, May 4th, "The Campus Flirt," featuring Bebe Daniels.

Mrs. Ralph Thompson, who has been visiting her sister, Mr. H. A. Botts for the past week, returned to her home at Haynes on Wednesday morning.

Remember the Senior C.G.I.T. concert in the Chinook School next Friday evening, April 29th, commencing at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Lorne Proudfoot, M.L.A., was in Youngstown on Monday, where he addressed a meeting of the business men.

Leo Foster, who has been spending the winter in Calgary, returned on Friday to Leo, Alberta, where she is teaching school.

Junior C.G.I.T. Entertain Parents at Supper and Concert Splendid Program Given by the Girls

On Friday evening the junior members of the Chinook C.G.I.T. entertained their parents at supper. About sixty people sat down to a lovely spread of all the good things that would tempt the most fastidious epicure. Mrs. R. Strigley, who was responsible for the management of the supper, had the tables very prettily decorated with yellow daffodils and the Senior C. G. I. T. group, who waited on the guests, were adorned in the daintiest of caps and aprons of yellow crepe paper to harmonize with the table decorations.

After everyone had enjoyed to the full the splendid meal, the guests retired into the assembly room where a most enjoyable program was presented to parents and friends.

The stage setting with its coloured Japanese lantern casting a soft warm glow over the decorations was most effective. The electric footlights adding to its attractiveness. Mrs. O. Nelson certainly deserves credit for her artistic arrangement of the stage.

In each number of the program the performers were attired in a costume to represent their role, which added novelty to the entertainment. Though each item was splendidly presented and heartily applauded by the audience, the little play, "The Sunflower Garden" aroused the most enthusiasm. Highest honours go to Norma Hurley who played the part of Mistress Carey. Every word of her part was heard to the farthest corners of the hall. Dorothy Carter, who was to have taken the part of Mr. Taber, was taken ill at the last minute, and Mrs. O. Nelson took her place, and the audience was kept in roars of laughter by her clever acting. The Sunflower girls were very pretty and did their part well.

Mrs. O. Nelson and Mrs. Rob't Smith were responsible for the program. Both the children and their three leaders are to be congratulated on the decided success of the evening. The following is the program:

Opening Song "O Canada" C.G.I.T. Group.

Song "Little Sir Echo" The Group.

Duet "A China Song" Muriel Smith and Geraldine Elliott

Chorus By the Group.

"Japanese Parasol Drill" by Elsie Smith, Urdine Brownell, Muriel Smith, Geraldine Elliott, Helen Dawson, Margaret McKenzie, Norma Hurley and Mrs. O. Nelson.

Solo "Little Cherry Blossom" Mildred Chipsham.

"Swedish Folk Dance," by Norma Hurley, Helen Dawson, Margaret McKenzie, Ina Rennie, Geraldine Elliott, Betty Milligan, Muriel Smith.

Musical Playlet, "Sunflower Garden" The Group.

Chorus "Good Night Song" The Group.

Miss Nina Johnston, who has been spending the Easter holidays visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Neil, returned on Friday to Leo, Alberta, where she is teaching school.

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On To The North!

The development of Canada is entering in fact has already entered a new phase and one which holds promise of adding enormously to the population, wealth, and economic strength of the Dominion. In all the provinces, with the exception of the Maritimes, the attention of government and people are turned northwards.

The history of Canadian growth during the first half century of Confederation records development from east and west lines, beginning with the acquisition by the newly born Dominion of the Hudson's Bay Co. lands of the west and the building of the Canadian Pacific Railway; then came the construction of the Canadian Northern; and finally the projection of the National Transcontinental and Grand Trunk Pacific across the continent. Practically all traffic moved east and west, and in these western provinces a long roundabout journey was frequently necessary in order to travel from one place to another only a comparatively short distance apart on a north and south line.

As a result of this early and quite natural programme of development, Canada became as a country, far as settlement and trade was concerned, a narrow strip stretching all the way from the Atlantic to the Pacific, but consisting of fewer people than are to be found in European countries which in area are smaller than Canadian provinces. Canada had length but it lacked depth, a condition which made for weakness as a national unit because of the great distances separating the people and leading to a too great diversity of interests, a lack of knowledge of the needs and problems of the different sections. Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec, the Prairie West, the Pacific slope, a resultant sectional rather than a national viewpoint. Always there existed the possibility of this thin thread snapping at some point.

It is, therefore, a matter of national satisfaction that Canada is now on the threshold of its second era of development, a development northwards which will give the Dominion what it has hitherto lacked, depth as well as length. From all quarters, governmental, financial, manufacturing, comes the confident prediction that the next two or three decades will witness a complete new transformation in this respect, and hardly a week passes that some new enterprise involving northern development is not reported.

Development works financed by Canadian, British and United States capital and involving an investment of close upon one billion dollars, are under way in Quebec which will result in the establishment of great industrial plants, the employment of tens of thousands of men, the creation of new cities and towns, and an enormous expansion in the trade of the Dominion. These are practically all to the north of present settled areas.

In Ontario, the Provincial Government has decided to push construction of their railway through to James Bay, while caribou hunt old and new mining areas of Northern Ontario unprecedented activity in prospecting and development is in progress.

Manitoba has awakened to the possibilities of its vast northern territory and, as in Ontario and Quebec, the eyes and energies of the people are being focussed on mineral and water-power development there with all that this must mean in industrial expansion. The business men of Winnipeg realize they are no longer dependent for future growth upon being simply a wholesale and distributing centre for the west.

The general demand of the Prairie West for an outlet on Hudson Bay is at last being met by aggressive action and the last section to be built will, before many months, be completed. The latest discoveries in science and invention are being employed in expediting this work. Airplanes, hives for weeks, have been carrying men and supplies from the end of steel to Churchill, other airplanes will patrol the Hudson Straits, airplanes are being employed in service work in northern Saskatchewan, as well as in northern Ontario. Important branch lines of railways are to be built in northern Saskatchewan to connect existing railways with the road to the Bay, while the Saskatchewan Government has appointed a commission to make expert inquiry into the whole subject of power development within the Province.

Alberta has pushed railways well into the north of that Province, and it is now known there exists a wealth of oil, mineral and other resources in vast northern stretches, as well as vast tracts of fertile lands suitable for agriculture. Investigation is now to be made of the most suitable route for a railway from northern Alberta through British Columbia to the Pacific coast.

Canada has long been a young man's country, a land for the hearty and venturesome pioneer and homesteader. It is a land which offers rich reward for the worker, the energetic pioneer. The possibilities which greeted the western pioneer of the early eighties are not wholly of the past; of the northern areas during the next few decades Canada's present and in the future exist in equal measure for the youth of today, and in the development new citizens will find ample outlet for their ambitions and energy, coupled with that element of romance inseparable from the opening up of a new land. For Canada as a whole a large field for investment and constructive enterprise awaits.

Husbands Desert Wives

Pitiable Suffering Caused in Many Cases by These Desertions

The Montreal Star says editorially: "Pitiable suffering is caused by the tragedy of husbands deserting their wives and children. There has been a marked increase of this sort, conducted for some years past. Statistics compiled from court records, in our own city, demonstrate the serious fact that fully 25 per cent. of the children placed in institutions of all kinds, and who are practically supported on charity, are 'foundlings' who have been deserted by their fathers. And, think of it, in 24 per cent. of these desertions cases the mother was left all here we have brutal cruelty on the part of husband and father."

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Hungarian Partridges

Stock From Alberta Will Soon Be Released in Manitoba

The first ten pairs of Hungarian Partridges are now being released in Manitoba. The birds are being released in the Manitoba Wildlife Protective Association (order) from the game sanctuary of Benloch, Leduc, Alberta, are being sent to the Pelly Park, southeast of Douglas, to be taken care of till the season opens. This was done in the interests of the sport-loving community of the Prairie Provinces, being hoped that the birds will increase greatly in numbers.

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French Women Honored

Four Who Risked Lives to Save British Soldiers Receive Annuities

Four heroic French women who concealed British soldiers from the Germans for months and even years at the risk of their own lives, have received London's tribute of praise and gratitude at the Mansion House. Before a big assembly of British and French Staff Officers and subscribers to the fund raised in their behalf, the Lord Mayor presented to Misses Julie Bartholin, Belmont-Gobert, Angèle Lesur and Louise Cardan annuity certificates, and illuminated address, signed by Great Britain's acknowledgment of their devotion.

It was a ceremony which vividly recalled the World War, and it had a poignant climax when an English father suddenly knelt to kiss the shoes of Miss Cardan who for fifteen months had concealed his son behind the German lines.

After all that those the son, Corporal Hall of the Eleventh Hussars, was betrayed. The Germans shot him and condemned Miss Cardan to death, a sentence which later was commuted to twenty years of hard labour.

Her husband escaped only to find an existence of great suffering and the amputation and then to die, a victim of his courage in helping to harbor the young soldier.

At the closing session, when the Marchalaise crashed out in honor of the heroines of France, followed by the British national anthem, tears glistened in the eyes of all four women and few in the audience remained unmoved.

An interesting exhibit in the hall of the Mansion House was the famous oak wardrobe in which Miss Belmont-Gobert hid Trooper Patrick Fowler of the Eleventh Hussars for more than three years.

To Visit Hudson Bay

Hon. C. A. Dunning Will Make Tour Over Northern Route in July

Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways; Major Graham Bell, Deputy Minister, and Frederick Palmer, British consulting engineer, will visit Port Nelson and Port Churchill on Hudson Bay in July of this summer. The minister's party, including several engineers, will leave the present end of steel on the Hudson Bay Railway and proceed by canoe to Port Nelson. From there it is possible that the party may fly north to Churchill by one of the seven passenger Pucker planes which have been operating in that district since early in the year. Two Puckers have been moving men and supplies from the end of steel to Churchill for several weeks past. At the present time drills are at work in the Churchill harbor and by the time the minister's party arrives the necessary data for the engineering report will be available.

Jasper National Park

Jasper national park in Alberta, with an area of 4,400 square miles, is one of the largest "playgrounds" in the world. A part of this reserve is in the north of the central section is still unexplored, but the park is being rapidly opened up by the construction of trails and highways.

To Acquire Country Elevators

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More mineral discoveries of importance have lately been made in the Portland canal area, Prince Rupert district.

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The secret lies in the special film, which is sensitive to light rays that do not register on the eye. It is pointed out that in time of war, a plane equipped with this camera could take perfect pictures of enemy positions while the plane itself would be far out of range and sight of anti-aircraft batteries.

An enemy fleet could be photographed 300 miles off shore. The device may be used against the radio fleet, for the position and name of each ship could be caught in a single picture taking in 200 square miles. It also has been suggested for forest patrol filters for the exact location of fires.

Sold First Matches Hundred Years Ago

Invention of English Chemist Brought Him Modest Income

The century of the match has just been observed in England. Many newspapers printed honorary editorials on the match and its inventor, John Walker, a chemist of Stockton-on-Tees.

It is recorded in Walker's sales book that he sold a box of fifteen matches to John Dixon 100 years ago. Although what had been called matches, but were really wicks, had been sold before, Walker's match was said to have been the first practical one. In two years Walker sold only 250 boxes of matches but after that the demand was great enough to furnish him a modest income.

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Britain's Air Defence

Dangerous for Her to Fall Too Far Behind Other Nations

Public interest in aviation in this country is at a deplorably low ebb. It simply does not begin to compare with the interest taken in France and in Germany, and in the latter country especially civil aviation has developed to an extent which leaves us far behind. In part this may be accounted for by the smallness of these islands and the greater obstacles, to commercial success, but it is undoubtedly dangerous for Great Britain to fall too far behind, for an industrial public opinion is required if we are to maintain the number of air squadrons which are no less necessary for purposes of national defence than was the Navy in the days when the air was trackless. London Daily Telegraph.

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Reduction Of Capital Ship Tonnage Of Leading Fleets Since Washington Conference

In view of the United States proposals for the further limitation of naval armament the admiralty "Return of Fleets" for 1927 has appeared at an opportune moment. The return shows how drastically the capital ship tonnage of the leading fleets has been reduced since the Washington Conference. On the outbreak of war, Great Britain alone had 42 dreadnoughts ready or under construction. Today the collective dreadnoughts of the seven principal navies barely exceed 60. Only eight battle cruisers are now in existence, and on ships of this type are building. So far as dreadnought construction is concerned the "naval holiday" is already an accomplished fact.

Taking cruisers first, the British Empire is found to have 11 building, with nine more projected for the period ending with the fiscal year of 1929. If this program is carried out the Empire will have eventually 23 cruisers of the so-called "Treaty" class. The number of similar vessels now being built in the United States, Japan, France and Italy is 18 while 12 others are projected.

In capital ships the Empire has a numerical margin of two over the United States, though this is rather discounted by the superior tonnage and later design of many of the American units. The Empire has also a definite superiority in aircraft carrier. But in destroyers and submarines Britain is far below a one-power standard, and in spite of the current building program her relative strength in both type of craft continues to decline.

A very formidable mass of submarine tonnage is now afloat and on the stocks. The six leading powers have already built or laid down 385 submarines, with 59 additional boats are contemplated.

In the present return the Admiralty has released some interesting details of the new British warships that will soon be hoisting the pennant. Of these the most important are the two battleships, Nelson and Rodney, which have hitherto been veiled in mystery. They are the first battleships to have geared turbines, designed for an output of 45,000 s.h.p., 23 knots. This is a very respectable speed for ships carrying such a ponderous weight of armor and guns. The story of each vessel is now revealed by the line 1514 guns, 12 6 in., ex 4.7 in. anti-aircraft pieces, and 28 smaller guns, with torpedo tubes. No other warships afloat will be able to develop such a tremendous volume of fire.

Pioneer Bee Keeping

Verre District in British Columbia Is Favorable Locality

W. S. Anderson, the pioneer bee keeper in the Terrace District, Central British Columbia, started into the industry three years ago with two hives. He now has twenty and last year had an average yield of 155 pounds per hive. He intends to make bee keeping the chief line on his farm and plans to have 100 hives. From early spring until late in the fall, there are flowering plants and trees that yield a good flow of nectar and make the Terrace district a favorable locality for honey production.

Stock Yards for Saskatoon

A charter is being issued by the Dominion Government empowering an association of 100 livestock growers, shippers and dealers of the Saskatchewan district to establish and operate a stock yard at Saskatoon with an authorized capitalization of \$100,000. William Thompson, for years prominent in the organization of co-operative concerns, is acting secretary of the Association.

American Settlers

Farmers from the Middle-Western United States are coming to Canada in droves in the next two years, according to Mark E. Gibson at Omaha, Nebraska, who came to Winnipeg to secure a tract of twenty quarter sections of Canadian Pacific prairie land for himself and twenty families of friends and relatives from Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri.

Wheat for China

In spite of the troubles in China an increased demand from the Orient for Western Canada's wheat is being recorded, says George McCall, Calgary, sales manager of the Wheat Pool, reports that heavy shipments are being made and that the indications are that these will be increased.

W. N. U. 1678

Education In Canada

Dominion Keeps Well to Fore in Matter of Higher Education

Recently published statistics about the more important of the colleges and universities of Canada show that five of them have more than 2,000 students each, and four others are each teaching between 1,000 and 2,000 students. The famous Laval university at Quebec reports a student body of 5,000. There are 5,379 in the University of Montreal, and more than 2,500 in the old McGill university of the same city. The University of Toronto has 4,168 and in Western Canada the Universities of Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia, none of which dates earlier than 1907, have each around 1,000 students. Canada, for its population and its wealth, keeps well ahead of the United States in this matter of the higher learning, and besides that it does, for 15 young people at home, reads many hundreds to the schools of America and Europe. Detroit Free Press.

Would Not Be Oudine

Cobbler in University Town Went Rivet One Better on His Sign

A cobbler in a university town, wishing to meet the clever advertising of an encroaching and unscrupulous rival, asked one of the professors to give him a Latin phrase that he could place in his window and attract the attention of the students. The professor promptly wrote the words "Mena Concha Reel" (a clear conscience). The cobbler had the sign painted and with much pride hung it in a conspicuous position in his window. Imagine his disappointment when he saw on a gaily sign in his rival's window, the following day, the words "Mena and Women's Concha Reel!"

The King and the Empire

When we speak today of the King's realm, the King's will, the King's highway, we mean our common heritage of power and law and liberty. The Majesty is one with his people; they are one with each other as they gather about him; and there is nothing in the world's work that can withstand or shake an Empire so bound together with free, glad loyalty. — Auckland Weekly News.

Had To Be Careful

Doctor (bandaging the arm of a tramp who has been run over)—It's a wonder you don't use soap and water now and then. Tramp—I have thought of it, but there's so many kinds of soap about now, and it's so hard to choose which is and which is not injurious to the skin, that I don't like to take any risks!

Blind Boy Musician Radio Star



Ronald — otherwise "Ronnie" — Matthews, blind from birth and possessing a natural talent for music which has been carefully nurtured, has become a welcome performer at special broadcasts over C.N.R.V., the Vancouver, B.C., radio station of the Canadian National Railways. "Ronnie" chose the piano as his instrument of expression and the foundation of instruction has been so carefully prepared that he has already successfully passed two examinations under the auspices of the London Academy of Music.

Seeking for a medium to adequately present the boy's talent to the world at large, G. A. Wright, broadcasting manager, evolved a feature known as "the radio train," by which an imaginary train leaves C.N.R.V. and visits homes of kiddies in British Columbia, the neighboring provinces, Yukon, Alaska and the Pacific States. Of this "train" Master "Ronnie" is "conductor," acting as announcer and occasionally offering pianoforte selections. The feature has proven so successful that it has been made a permanent part of the season's programmes at C.N.R.V.

The photographs show the "train" crew ready for the broadcast. From

Motorists Will Welcome Latest Invention

Ontario Men Perfect Slot Machine For Sale of Gasoline

After experimentation and work extending over a period of some three years, S. J. Poonck and J. K. Richardson, of St. Mary's Ont., have perfected a gasoline vending machine, which, they believe, will revolutionize the entire present system of gasoline sale.

The new invention, for which patents have been secured in some countries and are pending in others, is a gasoline-vending machine on the "slot machine" basis, which will eliminate entirely the necessity of attendant at gasoline station. They are operable at any time and in addition to the placing of coins in a slot for the amount of gasoline required, the consumer has but to push a button and the machine automatically pumps the gasoline purchased into the tank of the car.

In the operation of the machine, if gasoline is 20 cents per gallon, five sixths of a gallon is received for every quarter placed in the slot, and the indicator shows the amount received. Should the price of gasoline be 20 cents per gallon, the purchaser would receive a gallon and a quarter for his 25 cents, the full amount being shown on the indicator. The gas is supplied by the apparatus automatically.

The new machine is equipped electrically for operation where electricity is available, and on a hand-operating basis for rural use. It is never closed, materials being able to secure gasoline from the machine at any time of the day or night.

Special equipment makes the machine "fool-proof." Should anyone attempt to cheat the machine by placing a bogus coin or "slag" in the machine, the only reaction on the part of the invention will be the ringing of a loud bell and the lighting of a red light to notify the police or anyone in the vicinity of the attempt. No gas could be secured under true coin of the realm is used.

Canadian Grown Seeds

Canadian-grown seeds command recognition in foreign markets by virtue of their inherent qualities of hardness and vigor of growth. It is a fact, of which growers have long been aware, that, in the Northern Hemisphere, the farther north any plant can be brought to perfection the higher will be the quality and that of near descendants.

Released at the end of August, 1926, at Hyde Park, London, a toy balloon came down near St. Paul's Cathedral 117 days later.

You may not get all that is coming to us in this world—but look out for the next.

Natural Resources Of The Western Provinces Are Rich Beyond The Dreams Of Avarice

Chosen Varieties of Vegetables

Necessary to Select Best Available Seeds to Ensure Good Crops

Experienced growers of garden crops have learned that there are great differences in varieties of vegetables as well as corn, melons, pumpkins, peas, tomatoes, and other crops that are grown either for home use or for the market. The names of varieties as published in seed catalogues have not always been a safe guide to the grower. An analysis of Canadian seed catalogues made by the seed branch of the Department of Agriculture, and the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, revealed no less than 2,125 varieties named advertised from year to year. Many of these were found on test to be duplicates of the same variety, and in other cases they were so inferior as to be unworthy of a place in the garden. For the guidance of the growers of these crops the best varieties, as proven by tests of various kinds, have been selected out and reduced to 256 in number.

The selected list has been published as a supplement to the regulations under the Seeds Act, issued as Acts, Orders and Regulations No. 11, of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. The list is arranged alphabetically, commencing with the artichoke, of which two varieties are named, followed by asparagus, with three varieties, beans with twenty-five varieties, and ending with vegetable marrow, with four varieties, covering in all forty-four kinds of garden crops. The varieties given are arranged according to earliness of maturity, and those of outstanding merit are indicated by the letter "X." This supplement, just off the press, is being distributed by the publications branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. To the extent that it is followed by gardeners it will result in realizing that they are growing the best available sorts of the different crops.

Advice For Canadian Orators

Constant Reference to "Loyalty to the Empire" Is Not Necessary

The Ottawa Journal suggests a fine or imprisonment for Canadian orators who use certain stock phrases in their speeches. It mentions three. There is first of all "the three thousand mile border without a soldier or a cannon." Then there is "our boundless natural resources." Finally there is "loyalty to the Empire and the throne."

As the Journal says, our loyalty will be well taken for granted. The people of Great Britain do not talk about it and there is no particular reason why Canadians should. Our friendship with the United States might also be regarded as a political fact about which there is no need to protest too much.

As for the country's natural resources, there is perhaps nothing to be gained by spouting vague generalities on the subject. On the other hand, a speaker might be worse employed than in describing with restraint the vast undeveloped wealth of Canada. It is when we consider this natural endowment that we realize how small the national debt is in comparison with the national assets. Moose Jaw Times.

Wrong Kind of Wax

The sweet young thing entered the local stationer's and asked for a pound of wax.

"Wax, madam?" echoed the shop assistant.

"Yes," answered the girl, "wax for polishing the floor."

"Oh," replied the other, "we are stationers. The only wax we keep is sealing wax."

"Bother!" exclaimed the maiden sharply. "That's no use at all. We're having a dance and I want to wax the floor, not the ceiling."

Where Dog Teams Are Necessary

In the isolated and colder parts of Canada, beyond the influence of railway, automobile, or horse, the power for travelling to or transport of supplies throughout the winter months is furnished by dogs, and dog teams are frequently used by officers of the Department of the Interior in carrying out patrols, surveys, and other work.

Customer: "This overcoat's too short."

Clerk: "It's all right; it comes just above the knee."

Customer: "Who do you think I am? A woman?"

A little quick line played when ants frequent will drive them away.

A great deal has been heard in recent years as to the natural resources of the prairie provinces, but few people are aware of how tremendous and varied these resources are. According to the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, the raw materials available in that region between the Great Lakes and the Rocky Mountains embrace almost everything for which Canada is noted and in quantities that leave no doubt as to future developments.

The wheat lands of Canada's so-called prairie provinces are vast, but the forested areas are greater. It may surprise many people to learn that Alberta has as much standing timber as Ontario, or that Saskatchewan has greater timber supplies than all the maritime provinces combined. While much of the timber is two remote from transportation to be immediately available, it is of considerable significance for the future and the figures are interesting.

The possibilities for future mineral development are likewise phenomenal. The coal reserves of Alberta and Saskatchewan constitute some of the outstanding deposits in the known world while bituminous sands, natural gas and oil formations cover a vast area. Three-fifths of Manitoba is geologically identical with the mineralized areas of Ontario and Northern Saskatchewan and already striking deposits of copper, gold and other minerals have been located and are now being developed. Saskatchewan also possesses an abundance of fire earthware and brick clays and sodium sulphate beds, while Manitoba has important building stone and gypsum supplies.

The coal reserves in southern Alberta and Saskatchewan form a permanent guarantee of power for future commercial developments while in the Rockies, in Eastern Manitoba and in all of the northern rivers tremendous resources in natural water powers are awaiting development. The commercial possibilities of the known sites in the three provinces are about eight million horse power, Manitoba having almost six millions and the other two over a million each.

The fame of this country for its game and fur-bearers is too well known through history of the Hudson Bay and other trading companies to require explanation. The yield of furs continues apparently unabated and with the establishment of fur farms it would appear as if this great source of revenue would be a permanent one.

Other national resources which might be mentioned are the breeding grounds of the caribou, the vast navigable waterways and the magnificent scenery which varies from the seas of golden grain to snow-capped mountain ranges and from forested valleys to Arctic pastures.

Permanent Timber Supply

Three-fourths of Land Area of Canada Is Suitable Only for Trees

It is estimated by the Forest Service of the Department of the Interior that the only economic use for three-fourths of the land area of Canada lies in the growing of trees. This vast area of territory, while incapable of successful agricultural production if it is permanently dedicated, protected, and managed, suited to the production of a timber crop which would guarantee for all time the supply of raw material for Canada's wood-using industries.

Hotel Saskatchewan

The new Canadian Pacific Railway Hotel, which is being built in Regina will bear the name "Hotel Saskatchewan," according to recent announcement by E. W. Beatty, K.C., President of the Canadian Pacific Railway. This eleven story structure will have 284 bedrooms. It is scheduled to open May 21st.

Pea Canning Factory

Something new in exhibitions has been "spring" by Mograph, Alberta, namely a "Pea Exhibition" as a preliminary to the establishment of a pea canning factory. The show will be held in connection with the Mograph Exhibition and Old Boys' Home Coming, set for August 1st and 5th.

Egg Canning Stations

Egg-canning stations will be opened at seven points in Saskatchewan by the Saskatchewan Egg and Poultry pool at Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Swift Current, Biggar, Prince Albert and Yorkton.

Canada Sliding Into Pacific

Every Year Ocean Encroaches Further Upon Western Coast Line

This continent is slowly moving into the ocean. A few months ago a world-wide experiment lasting a month, was carried out to ascertain whether the Continental areas were undergoing a sort of sliding movement. The experiment consisted of the concrete reception and recording of Greenwich time signals sent out at prearranged times from a number of powerful wireless stations. These signals were received at observatories in more than a score of countries all over the world, and provided the material by which to test the longitude, or actual position, of each observatory with reference to the Greenwich meridian.

As a result of the comparison of the wireless longitudes just ascertained at Canadian stations, it is definitely stated that Canada, and probably the whole of North America, is slowly being carried westward into the Pacific, the amount of the movement averaging one meter—nearly 40 inches—annually.

A Natural Conclusion

Teacher Had New Excuse for Not Obeying Traffic Signal

She was still rather new at driving a car and a little bit confused in traffic. Lower Broadway she forced to stop soon enough at the signal and shot out into the middle of the street.

Pompously the traffic officer bore down upon her.

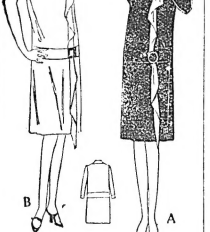
"Didn't you see me hold up my hand?" he shouted fiercely.

The culprit gasped a breathless "Yes."

"Didn't you know that when I held up my hand it meant—Stop?"

"No, sir; I'm just a school-teacher," she said, in a timid, mouse-like voice, "and when you raised your hand like that I thought you wanted to ask a question."

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Jabots Are Modish This Season

"Smartly" simple is this chic piece of frock closing at the left side. Front View A has the shaped collar, cuffs on the long darted sleeves, and graceful jabots, of contrasting material. In View B the frock is fashioned of one material and the short sleeves are finished with shaped cuffs, while a trim belt fastens at the side with a buckle. No. 1569 is for misses and small women and is in sizes 16, 18 and 20. Price, \$15.00 (C.N.R. requires 25 yards 29-inch material, or 25 yards 34-inch. View A requires 12 yard 20-inch additional contrasting material (cut crosswise) for the collar, cuffs and jabots. Price 20 cents the pattern.

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How To Order Patterns

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Sir Esmé Howard, British ambassador at Washington and Earl Howe, will this year visit Western Canada.

Pert has a movement to abolish the present law making the President eligible as a candidate to succeed himself.

Two fine autographed engravings of the King and Queen will occupy a place of honor in the new Canadian legation.

El Salto observatory, near San Diego, announces that several volcanoes in Southern Chile have become active.

A Royal Air Force bombing airplane crashed at East Church, Kent, Eng., and its four occupants were burned to death.

Quebec provincial general elections will be held Monday, May 16. No elections will take place May 9. These dates were announced following a meeting of the cabinet.

An Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Cairo says that the Egyptian Government has resigned. The Egyptian ministry was formed on June 6, 1924, with Adly Yeghen Pasha as premier.

Discovery of a radically different treatment of the American form of sleeping sickness from any yet described, and what may lead to a successful eradication of this disease was announced by Dr. Frederick J. Farnell, of Providence, R.I., its discoverer.

A fossil of unusual interest has been found in the workings of No. 2 mine at Glace Bay, Nova Scotia. The petrified form had the appearance of a crocodile or alligator about two feet long and was discovered embedded in the submarine area about two miles under the Atlantic.

Would Mean Serious Struggle

Vast Alien Interests in China Likely to Prevent Nation Going Bolshevik

Chang Tso-lin has declared himself ready to welcome any form of popular republican government in China, but is opposed to interference by the Soviets.

In China money can do anything. It is therefore conceivable that if the Soviet government cares to spend money enough, the prejudices of Chang Tso-lin may be overcome.

If China goes Bolshevik she will probably follow the example of her prototype, and repudiate all her obligations. However, in view of the vast alien interests in China, and the rights vested by treaties in certain foreign powers, it is unlikely that China will be able to become Bolshevik without a serious struggle.

There could be no talk of a conquest of China such as at present she often suffers, though she always subsequently abandoned the invaders. But the Chinese warlords are so accustomed to compromise in face of superior military forces that the outside powers would be tempted to secure by invasion, and the temporary occupation of strategic trade centres, adequate guarantees that the obligations of China would be discharged. No grave military difficulties would attend such an operation; but it would not hasten in the unachievable way that America, Britain and other powers most desire the economic and social development of China.

Alberta Irrigation Projects

Irrigation projects in Alberta which are actively in operation are making good, generally speaking, according to the annual report for 1926 of the Alberta Irrigation and Drainage Council. There are now eight cooperative projects in active operation in the province, involving a total acreage of 100,446 acres, of which 188,820 acres are irrigable.

Western Fox Ranches

According to the secretary of the Canadian National Silver Fox Breeders' Association, Manitoba now has 53 registered ranches and 228 men here; Saskatchewan has 23 ranches; Alberta 109 and British Columbia 82.

A Feature of the Edmonton Exhibition this year will be another historical pageant, commemorating the diamond jubilee of the Dominion.

One of New York's newest skyscrapers burns enough each day to heat four average-sized homes all winter.

Jupiter, measuring 26,000 miles in diameter, is the largest planet; Mercury, 2,659 miles in diameter, is the smallest.

W. N. C. 1678

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 1

PETER'S DENIAL AND REPENTANCE

Golden Text: Let him that thinketh he standeth, take heed lest he fall. 1 Cor. 10:12.

Lesson: Mark 14:32-51, 66-71; Luke 22:41, 62.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 51:1-19.

Explanations and Comments

1. In the Palace of the High Priest, Mark 14:53, 54: "The time is after the betrayal and arrest in the garden of Gethsemane. Two painful scenes are being enacted in the palace of the high priest. Above, in the Assembly Hall, stands Jesus before the Sanhedrin (chief priests and elders and scribes), the Judge of the World, being judged by men obsessed by hatred, bent on delivering him up to death.

Below in the courtyard sits Peter. He had followed Jesus afar off, and had entered "even within, into the court of the high priest," Mark tells us. The exorcist is redundant, and "suggests the idea of one scathingly feeling his way into the court of the high priest, venturing further and further in, and gaining courage with each step."

The courtyard was the inner court, around which the palace was built. With the officers (nobles) the military guard who had delivered up their prisoner, and were waiting for further orders, Peter was warning himself by the fire which glowed in an open charcoal brazier. In the spring the nights are cold at Jerusalem and a fire is welcome.

"Sullen and apprehensive at a word, Peter, the bold disciple of his Lord, crouches above the brazier's slender flame, attempting to hear his too familiar name."

Handed with Christ's defiant to deny. Last one should fervently whisper, "Christ!"

The tongue, abrupt to censure or excuse, is stifled by occasional harsh distress.

The steady eye that flamed in love or hate. Shifts from wide eye to eye of them that wait.

O Peter! Canst thou thus so soon forget? The grave on Hermon's Mount that hallowed thee.

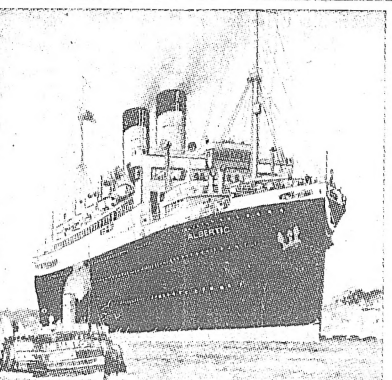
In the quiet the lights upon his cheeks were wet. From Bethany and grim Gethsemane." — Edward Lindsay-Hales.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

John L. Baird, young British inventor, claims to have established television between London and New York. He proposes to give a wireless telephone - television demonstration between London and a New York store shortly. A special receiving set has been built for the purpose.

Mr. Baird said that for several weeks he carried on his experiments between his station at London and a station twenty-five miles outside New York. A new station is being installed in America by means of which Mr. Baird says it will be possible to demonstrate the practicability of his invention. If these tests are successful, television, limited to the company of which he is technical director, will place a television receiving set on the market at a cost of \$150.

Widespread interest was aroused in London by the successful television experiments between New York and Washington. Although many experiments in television have been made in Britain, engineers of the General Post Office are not co-operating with the scientists on both sides of the Atlantic who are trying to bring this new development within reach of the public. A post office official, questioned on the subject, replied, "There is much to be done before the post office takes a public service of 'television'."



White Star Liner "Alberic" 19,000 Tons, Largest Ever to Sail From Montreal

Another page in steamship history will be written this season when the Alberic, of the White Star Line Canadian Service (shown above) docks at Montreal at the end of April. This will be the largest steamer ever to sail up the river St. Lawrence as far as Montreal.

Previous to this season the Doric and Regina, sister ships in the White Star Line Canadian Service, held the record for being the largest steamers to enter the port of Montreal. They are 16,500 tons each, but the Alberic is 19,000 tons and, therefore 2,500 larger than the Doric and Regina.

The Alberic is an R.M.S.P. steamer. She was formerly known as the "Alma," one of the world famous "Q" liners. She will join the St. Lawrence fleet with a reputation equal to her size and, in addition to being the largest steamer ever to sail up the St. Lawrence to Montreal, will be one of the most luxurious to make Montreal her terminal.

The Alberic will be used on the direct service to Liverpool (eastbound) while on the westbound route she will call at Queenstown. She will leave Liverpool on her first westbound voyage under the new name on April 22 and will steam out of Montreal on her first eastbound voyage on May 7.

Built in 1925, the Alberic is 287 feet long, 32 feet wide and 37.4 feet deep and she has seven decks. "A" is the observation deck; "B" is the boat deck on which are located the smoking room, the lounge, the reading room and a few state rooms.

"C" is known as the promenade deck. This is partially glass enclosed, and it offers the incentive to overlook which, in turn, develops the healthy appetite.

On "D" deck ton are the luxurious staterooms, comprising 14 staterooms, with separate beds, dining room and bath room while on "E" deck are a few more suites, and state rooms (together with the dining room, the haven of refuge after his perils, have been created on deck in the tangy sea air.

There are three other decks, "F", "G" and "H" which are used for state rooms, where passengers can be assured of a most sleep after the activities of the day on the sparrows decks.

The equipment of the Alberic includes the latest devices in wireless telegraphy and submarine signalling apparatus, fireproof and water-tight bulkheads, combined stateroom and Messing appliances, while among other features there are on board for the convenience of passengers two higher shops, a hair-dressing parlor, and a library.

The Alberic will make eight voyages from Montreal this season, on April 22, May 7, 20, 30, June 10, 23, 30, July 10, 23, 30, August 10, 23, September 10, 23, October 10, 23, November 10, 23, and on all these voyages she will carry cabin, tourist, third cabin and third class passengers direct to Liverpool. On her last trip of the season she will call, en route, at Glasgow.

Besides providing for the new planes, the former estimates will enable the training on a small scale of a reserve of officers and air staff.

The estimates covering civil aviation cover mostly of forest and survey services for other government departments.

The program includes this year air patrols for fire detection and suppression of over 70,000,000 acres of forested lands in Eastern and Northern Manitoba and Northern Saskatchewan, and for fire detection patrols of over 3,000,000 acres in the forest reserves in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains in Western Alberta.

The air survey program includes work in every province in the Dominion. The growing importance of this feature of aviation has been recognized and the development of the resources of the north country are largely dependent on good maps being made available of remote districts now becoming of great importance through their mineral or forest wealth.

Unable to Follow Custom
For the first time in history, the King of Spain failed this year to follow the time-honored precedent of granting Good Friday pardons to a number of criminals condemned to death. The reason for this was that in all the prisons throughout Spain there was not a single man condemned to death at the time. The custom of pardoning started in medieval times, the King liberating as many of his subjects as he could under sentence of death.

The development of radio in Sweden now covers the entire country. More than 200,000 receiving sets are in use.

Bill: "Do you think this medicine will do me good?"
Thad: "Yes, if you follow directions. Keep bottle tightly corked."

The Changing West
Senator W. A. Buchanan, publisher of the Lethbridge Herald, addressed the Toronto Young Men's Board of Trade recently on "The Changing West," pointing out the transformation in progress from straight grain growing to mixed farming, with industrial centres developing all tending to broaden the economic and labor basis of the West.

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Europe & Return

These tours are so varied in itineraries, in interest, in duration and in cost, that you may choose one that particularly meets your requirements and purse. White Star Standard of Service is assured in each.

\$155 Thos. Read's to England
Return fare. Family party, third class, personally conducted by Rev. W. G. Walsh. Return date optional within one year. Sailing to Liverpool on magnificent

\$155 Megantic, May 21st
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Personally conducted. An excellent opportunity to cross with home folks on the magnificent

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Go home with your own home folk, personally conducted by Mr. Robt. Stewart of Toronto on magnificent

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Holyhead, Anglesea, North Wales, Aug. 1st to 6th. Sailing on superb White Star Liner

\$170 Doric, July 23rd
Manx Society Excursion
Manx Homecoming Tour 1927. Lands at Douglas direct. Answer the call to all Manxmen from their Eilan Vannin. Cross with brother Manxmen on the magnificent

\$170 Albion, June 3rd
2nd Northern Ontario Excursion to England and Return
Tourist Third Cabin, under the direction of Mr. T. Moseley Williams, New Liskeard, Ont.

\$260 Regina, July 7th
Home Tours
Pilgrimage to Rome, 57 days. \$275. Cabin class, all necessary expenses included. Visiting principal cities in seven European countries. "Partez France!" Tours (study French while touring Europe) \$250 for 24 days, to \$380 for 32 days depending on length of tour and places visited. All necessary expenses included. Both Home Tours sail from New York on famous Red Star Liner

\$267 Canadian Legion Tour - 36 Days
Tourist Third Cabin
Including all necessary expenses

Under the auspices of the Canadian Legion (British Empire Service League). Visiting Canadian Cemeteries and Battlefields in Belgium and France. The most important points include Lille, Ypres, Arras, The Somme, Paris, London and their immediate vicinities - sailing on the magnificent

\$315 Megantic, July 16th
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England, Scotland, Ireland, Holland, Belgium, Germany, France, Switzerland, Italy. Conducted Tours, 37 days \$315 and up, according to itinerary and class. Also independent tours all sailings. Special Feature: 50% cash, balance in 10 equal monthly installments after you return; or, if paid in full, less 5%. Every week until August 20th, first sailing on superb Steamer

\$345 Doric, May 28th
18th International Rotary Convention - 30 Days
Extend June 5th to 10th. Optional extension tours in England, Holland, Belgium, France, Switzerland, and Italy of 30-44-58 or 65 days with fares ranging from \$425 to \$850. Leaving Montreal on magnificent

\$375 Megantic, May 21st
Special Tour of Ireland - 32 Days
By popular request. Under auspices of the Daughters of Isabella and the spiritual direction of Reverend Father Thomas J. Heffernan. Choice of Tourist Third Cabin for \$375 or of Cabin for \$500 to \$650 according to accommodations occupied. All necessary expenses included. Sailing on beautiful White Star Liner

\$385 Regina, July 7th.
Popular French Tour - 37 Days
Personally conducted. Visiting 5 countries, 22 cities. England, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Italy. Choice of Tourist Third Cabin for \$385 or of Cabin for \$500. All necessary expenses included. Sailing on superb White Star Liner

\$390 Doric, July 3rd
Pitman Tours - 38 days
Tourist Third Cabin
To England, Scotland, Ireland, Holland, Belgium, France, Germany. Personally conducted - all necessary expenses. Sailing on beautiful White Star Liner.

\$390 Regina - Doric - Megantic
June 11-18-25, July 7.

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Regina, July 7th.

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QUOTA LAWS ARE TO BE ENFORCED BY UNITED STATES

Washington. — Native Aliens shortly to be given by the United States immigration authorities that after June 1 next residents of Canada living outside the Dominion who cross the border daily to work in the United States must conform to the immigration laws of this country. This means that those who obtained employment on the United States side of the border since the quota immigration laws went into effect must register under the quota of the year in which they first began working in the United States. Canadian border workers in the United States will not be affected.

Commissioner Hull of the immigration department made it clear that native Canadians would not be disturbed by any regulations issued. A statement is to be published shortly under which residents of Canada may cross the border daily to work on this side, but it will rather reaffirm the old law than set any new departure.

The Canadian legation has obtained assurance that everything will be done to accommodate non-quota workers already engaged in the United States, and that reasonable time will be granted to allow them to take out permits under the quota laws. It is understood that British born were living in border towns before 1924, when the quota system was adopted and therefore will not be required to apply for permits. Places may be found in Canada and quotas for those who have been working in the United States for years.

"We are going to make it as easy as we can for everybody," said Commissioner Hull.

Apparently the regulations are designed to prevent new settlers coming from Europe to Canada and working in the United States, rather than to affect those who have been living in Canadian border towns for some time.

All the World a Mirror

Sound of a Face is Flashed Across the Atlantic

London. — The latest accomplishment in the progress of science toward making all the world a mirror by means of television was announced recently. The "sound of a face" it was declared had been transmitted across the Atlantic.

J. L. Baird, the inventor of television, was the subject of the test. He sat before the television in London and the sound produced by his image was recorded in New York. The receiver reports that the receipt of the face flash "sounded like a scratch" and that was all there was to it.

Baird plans to visit the United States in June and install a receiving machine which will turn the face sent into a picture of the face in itself.

May Test Old Agreement

Canadian-U.S. Visa Pact Interesting Immigration Men at Washington. — Immigration officials here were greatly interested in reports that the Chamber of Commerce at Windsor, Ont., had taken steps to develop around the Canadian government the validity of the Jay Treaty of 1791, under which "Canadians might cross the boundary into the United States without passports or visas. A case involving similar questions was recently brought on in the courts by Canadian Indians who were given the right to move across the border untroubled and an appeal by the government in this case has been entered.

Expected to Win Wager

Toronto. — W. H. Chapman, aged 77, who has walked nearly 10,000 miles since July, 1923, to win, he says, a \$5,000 wager, passed through this city April 19. He has yet to cross the continent to comply with the rules of the wager. He started from Milwaukee and is now going to Cochrane, and expected to be in Vancouver and complete the round trip some time in the summer.

Canada Olympic Grant

Ottawa. — An appropriation of \$26,669 has been made by the Canadian Government to defray the expenses of an athletic team which will be sent to the 1928 Olympic games. Officials anticipate that a squad of about thirty athletes will make the trip.

W. N. U. 1678

Well Known Horseman Killed

Captain Lidington, Victim of Horse-riding Week, Was Bringing Shipment of Horses West. — Ottawa. Captain J. Lidington, who was killed in the train wreck at Hornby, was an internationally known horseman. His father, Major Lidington, and himself were conducting a shipment of thoroughbreds from England and had been in Ottawa for several days where some of the horses were displayed. Major Lidington took ill while here and is in the hospital.

The son, on Easter Monday, proceeded, assisted by helpers, Garnett Hall, H. Edwards, and Patrick Brock, all believed to have come from Thame, England, to load the remainder of the horses some 55 which were being taken to Winnipeg and Vancouver where they were to be sold.

Six of the horses in the shipment were sold while the party was here to Captain Jenkins, of Toronto. Joseph Gleason, of Ottawa, bought one, and eight were sold in New York. All the remainder of the shipment, except two, it is believed, were killed in the wreck.

The horses were believed to have all won races in the old country and was a valuable collection. Major Lidington and his son had planned on returning to England for another shipment in August.

Not Getting Fair Deal

Rural Schools Entitled to Experienced Teachers Opinion of Dr. Kerby

Edmonton. — "Rural school children are not getting a fair deal today," declared Dr. George W. Kerby, principal of Mount Royal College, Calgary, in an address before the convention of the Alberta Educational Association here. He deplored the tendency to train teachers for handling city schools, the sending of junior and often immature teachers to country schools to gain experience and a lack of sympathy for rural schools.

"If we average rural school teachers' looks at the country school as a little building where a little teacher teaches little things to little children for a little while at a little salary," declared Dr. Kerby. "There is need to consider the whole question of rural education, which is greater than the wheat plot or immigration problems."

Russian Trade

Improvement in Agriculture and Industries is Reported

Montreal. — A big British concern engaged in shipbuilding has approached the chief concession committee of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics offering \$10,000,000 long term credits to build mercantile ships for the Soviet, according to announcements made here by the trade delegation of the Union. The offer, it was stated, was now under consideration.

During the four months of the current fiscal year, beginning October, 1926, export trade of the U.S.S.R. reached \$125,511,000, leaving a favorable trade balance of nearly \$18,000,000. Trading was carried on principally with eastern countries. The Soviet representative thus declared the population of Russia was now 111,895,999 and statistics showed a general improvement in agriculture and industries since the 1921 period of depression.

Another Royal Exhibit

Belgian Queen Announces Entry for Poultry Congress

Ottawa. — Still another member of a European royal family is to be an exhibitor at the world's poultry congress to be held in Ottawa from July 27 to August 4. Congress headquarters received word from Brussels that included in the Belgian national live bird exhibit would be a number of fowl the property of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth of Belgium. The Belgian exhibit will consist of fowl, pigeons and rabbits.

Other royal exhibits already announced are His Majesty King George, H.R.H. the Prince of Wales and H.R.H. the Prince of Asturias, here to the Spanish throne.

Hopes to Retain MacBrien's Services

Ottawa. — The hope that the services of Major-General J. H. MacBrien, chief of staff of the Department of National Defence, might be retained was expressed by Premier King, addressing the officers of the Governor-General's Foot Guards at a dinner. General MacBrien some time ago tendered his resignation. Premier King paid high tribute to General MacBrien.

Canada's Jubilee

Sir Arthur Curry Would Like to See Preparations Hurried Up

Montreal. — The apathy with which, he said, Canadians were approaching the jubilee date of Confederation, was deplored by Sir Arthur Curry, commander-in-chief of the Canadian troops during the war and principal of McGill University. He spoke before the Electrical Club of Montreal.

"Jubilee committees have been appointed," said Sir Arthur, "but I would like to see some sign of activity by some of the part of those forming those committees. The birthday of Confederation is not far off. It is high time something were done. I know that on the first of July thousands of great bells at Ottawa will peal out but they will not reach the general public of Canada."

Chinese Communists Executed

Shanghai. Six prisoners described as communists and including the head of the Chinese seamen's union, were executed today at the Nationalist (Cantonese) headquarters in the native city of Shanghai. This brings the total number of agitators executed since the moderates began their drive against the Reds to more than 100.

FORMER LABOR PRIME MINISTER AT WASHINGTON

Washington. — A sentimental traveler down old familiar roads was how right Hon. J. Bennett Macdonald, former Labor Prime Minister of Great Britain, described himself to the Canadian Press correspondent here, when he arrived for a brief visit to Sir Esme Howard, the British ambassador.

Mr. Macdonald stated that his visit had no political significance. He said he was unable to reach Canada on this trip as pressure of business compelled him to stay for home very soon.

Asked if British Labor had seriously resented the deportation law of 1919 in Canada, Mr. Macdonald said he had never been seriously alarmed that the deportation law of the Dominion would be unfairly used against Britishers there.

In the opinion of the former Prime Minister, the Baldwin Government had "fumbled," and the trend of public opinion was in favor of the return to a Labor Government in Great Britain on his analysis of the vote in recent by-elections in Leith and Southwark.

Mr. Macdonald predicted a recurrence of the coal miners' strike unless wages of the miners were reduced soon. He did not believe, however, that the general strike weapon would be used next time, remarking that many who favored the general strike weapon had found themselves unwilling to be "generally struck."

Mr. Macdonald was a luncheon guest at the British embassy and was entertained at dinner by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor.



New Fashions from Japan

These young ladies who are travelling on the Canadian Pacific through the Empire of Scotland, were so struck by the beautiful garments they saw when their tour came round to Japan that they went and purchased one of the most outstanding, namely, the haori. This, as can be seen from the engraving, is a very beautiful sort of shawl whose folds can be arranged according to taste in almost any shape desired. They are very attractively figured in floral designs and from the general appearance of them, it would not be surprising if these young ladies become the advance guard of a new fashion originating from Japan. Anyway, we make no present of the idea (although not of the garment) to our readers.

IS NOT POSSIBLE NOW TO EQUALIZE FREIGHT RATES

Ottawa. — After sittings extending over two years and occupying 105 days, the general freight rates in inquiry by the Board of Railway Commissioners is drawing to a close. The inquiry is expected to be completed this week.

Issue Pittsburgh, K.C., the last route to be heard for the provinces of their opposing rates increases, included his address and W. N. Tilley, K.C., Toronto, at once opened the case for the railways. He remarked on the changes which had occurred since the first important argument on freight rates was before the board, in 1911. Important changes had occurred in transportation conditions. In those days there was only one trans-continental railway running Canada. So, too, the scope of this inquiry was far more extensive and comprehensive than any previous investigation had been and the judgment of the board, when rendered, would be of the greatest importance to all concerned. — to the railway, the provinces and the nation as a whole.

Mr. Pittsburgh dealt at some length with the matter of equalization. He declared equalization of rates was an impossibility today. Any attempt to adjust the present rates structures today on the principle of an equal rate for equal mileage in every part of the country would mean chaos and disaster to the commerce of the country.

It was far more necessary, he declared, to set about an adjustment which would enable the natural resources of the country, the fruit, lumber, mining products, fish, etc., to move from the point of production to the most profitable market and so facilitate the development of that market, both domestic and foreign, than it was to legislate so that the trader in Montreal could serve his local market, of say 150 miles radius, at the same cost of transportation as the trader in Winnipeg could serve his.

Equalization of rates, said Mr. Pittsburgh, was no new idea. An attempt had been made in 1875 to put equalization legislation through the Canadian Parliament but without success and a similar attempt in the Imperial Parliament the previous year had met a like fate. Today it was no more practicable than it was half a century ago.

Artie Flier is Safe

New York. The North American Newspaper Alliance has been informed that Lieut. George H. Wilkins, Artie flier, who has been missing since March 22, when he hopped out from Point Barrow, Alaska, for the unexplored regions to the north, has made a safe return to Beverly point.

Negro's Skin Turns White

Glasgow, Ky. — Eugene Clark, negro, whose skin began to change color a few years ago, is dead at his home near Sulphur Well. At the time of his death Clark's skin had virtually been transformed from black to white.

Government Refuses To Act

Peking Officials Reject Soviet Demands in Connection With Raid

Paris. — Rejection by the Peking Government of the demands of the Russian Soviet Government in connection with the raid on the Soviet buildings in the embassy compound at Peking, is reported in a despatch to the Indo-Pacific Agency. The raid on orders of the Northern Chinese authorities was carried out on April 6.

Two days after the raid the Soviet Government ordered all the embassy officials to leave and in a note delivered to the Chinese charge d'affaires at Moscow, made a series of demands. These included immediate evacuation of police from the compound, the release of all those arrested in the raid, and the return of all documents seized, together with all money, personal property, household goods and books taken by the police.

Only Two Dry Provinces

Government Liquor Control Goes Effect in New Brunswick

Fredericton, N.B. The province of New Brunswick formally associated itself with the other six provinces of Canada which now have government control liquor laws, when Lieutenant Governor Todd gave Royal assent to the measure which passed the Legislature and which gives this province an act similar in many respects to that which will shortly come into operation in Ontario.

This leaves only Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island with temperance laws based on prohibition of the sale of alcohol.

Federalship Seizure Illegal

Judge Hands Down Decision in California Court

San Francisco Cal. Handing down a decision that the seizure last March of the steamship Federalship with its million-dollar cargo of flour and arrest of the captain and 19 members of the crew, 30 miles off the California coast, was illegal, Federal Judge Hampton ruled that the seizure was in violation of treaty relationships between nations.

Captain S. S. Stone, skipper of the Federalship, and 19 members of his crew, were released from jail following the judgment.

CIVILIAN WAR SUFFERERS MUST WAIT FOR A YEAR

Ottawa. There will be no payments this year to the civilian sufferers from the great war.

Reparations Commissioner Frier has not yet completed his work. It is understood that the secretary of state has been for some time pressing Mr. Frier to hurry his reports, so that he might still unfinished, but has been unable to speed things up. The result is that many impoverished citizens of Canada must suffer for another year without the compensation payments which the Dominion is willing to pay.

These war-sufferers have no legal claim, but the principle has been generally accepted that compensation payments will be made out of Canada's share of the reparations under the Dawes plan.

There is no legislation authorizing this and whatever payment is made must be specifically voted by parliament. An attempt was made two years ago to get parliament to vote part of the money, but this was rejected. Parliament wanted the full report.

With parliament prorogued and the commissioner's final report missing, there was no vote passed. The secretary of state admits that some of the claimants are in a desperate condition, yet nothing can be done for them.

Canada has received \$1,900,517 in payments on reparations account, and still has \$2,789,129 due from Great Britain. The latter sum, however, is dependent on the settlement of other accounts between Britain and Canada. If this sum is paid there will be \$2,789,947 available on reparations account, together with any Dawes instalments paid in the mean time.

The policy of the government with reference to this money will not be decided until Commissioner Frier makes his report.

The British parliament appropriated \$27,500,000 for distribution to claimants who had suffered loss. Canadians domiciled in Britain have thus been compensated, but Canadians domiciled at home must still wait nearly nine years after the war is over.

AGRICULTURISTS OPTIMISTIC OVER CROP PROSPECTS

Winnipeg, Man. — A general survey of agricultural conditions throughout the west made by the agricultural department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, shows that conditions are satisfactory, though the spring is somewhat belated. The saturated condition of the soil, and the cold damp weather of the last two weeks, have delayed commencement of work and precluded any possibility of farmers getting an early start. With the exception of a small amount of plowing and disking in southern portions of the west, the provinces, to work on the land has been done, but it is scarcely likely even under the most favorable weather conditions that seeding can become general in the west before the end of April or the beginning of May. In higher lands having good drainage, seeding should commence early this week.

Seeding in Manitoba, in 1920, was not general until May 7; in Saskatchewan, May 6, and in Alberta, May 5. In 1923, seeding was general in Manitoba on May 6; in Saskatchewan and Alberta on May 1. The long cold winter with considerable snow, combined with a shortage of feed in many parts of the west, has kept it somewhat hard on stock, with a likelihood of thin cattle, this spring.

Dazing their optimism largely on the fact that few springs have started off with as much moisture in the land as now, farmers are looking forward to a good crop year. Practically all the districts throughout the west there should be sufficient moisture to carry the crop until the beginning of June.

Announces Anaemia Cure

Ready For Public Use Very Soon Says Rochester Doctor

Rochester, N.Y. — Man has proclaimed a new victory over disease with the announcement that within a few weeks there will be ready for public use a cure for anaemia that has been successful in 39 out of 39 cases.

The announcement was made by Dr. George R. Whipple, dean of the medical schools of the University of Rochester, after ten years of experiments in which he has been assisted by Mrs. Fieda S. Robbins, physiologist at the school. For the past two years Dr. George R. Whipple and Dr. Edwin J. Cohn, of Harvard medical school, have collaborated with him.

The cure is a serum discovered during a decade of experimenting on anemic dogs and humans. It is an extract of beef liver but has not yet been sufficiently purified to make chemical identification or naming possible. It will be distributed through selected physicians in the various cities as was done with insulin.

British Peer Joins Laborites

Sir Robert Peel Has Gone Over to Labor Party

London. Another member of the British nobility is to join the Labor Party. Sir Robert Peel, baronet, grandson of the statesman, "Bobbie" Peel, from whom the London police derive the nickname which has clung to them since early in the Victorian period, has announced his intention of participating in politics on the side of Labor. The young peer already has under consideration proposals to stand for Parliament in the Tannorth division of North Staffordshire, his home, which was the old vision represented by his grand father when he entered politics.

While prime minister, the older Peel founded the modern police force, and immediately the police were also known as "Bobbies," and also as "Peelers," but the latter designation lasted only for a short time.

Plan to Broadcast

Carillon Concert

If Bells Installed Recital Will be Given July 1

Ottawa. — On the night of July 1 it is planned, in connection with the Diamond Jubilee celebration to broadcast from coast to coast a recital on the carillonary carillon. If it is then installed, and also a program of patriotic music. The idea has been sanctioned by the Jubilee Committee and radio and telephone experts were in consultation here concerning the technical end of the performance.

Correcting Social Ills

Parental Qualifications Necessary for Training of the Rising Generation

The home and lack of proper training of children in the home have been publicly blamed for a wide array of social ills, ranging from the jazz age to crime. In brief, the responsibility has been placed on the parents.

Such being the case, what constitutes a good parent? What are the qualifications for a father or for a mother?

A. D. Hardie, an outstanding English educationist now directing the educational division of social hygiene work in the Dominion, recently summed up the matter for local workers. His findings follow:

Qualifications of a father:

1. Good health. Good stock and a desire to keep his wife and his children fit and ready for a long life by proper exercise and regular physical examination.

2. Companionship with his children. An ability to see things from their point of view. An ability to retain their confidence in all matters.

3. Good general knowledge, so that his conversation is worth listening to at home.

4. A good example to his children, especially in his attitude towards his wife and all women.

Qualifications of a mother:

1. Good health. Good stock and a desire to keep herself well for the good of her home.

2. Sympathy, such as only a mother can have, in all that concerns her husband and children.

3. Good knowledge, the result of study and not of instinct, of child education.

4. A good knowledge of the physiology and physical and mental needs of her sons as well as her daughters and an ability to prepare both for the adventure of life.

Women Physicians

More Confidence Now in Women Doctors Than in Former Years

Eight prospective women graduates from the faculty of medicine in the University of Toronto were honored at a dinner by the women's College Hospital. Speakers, who told of the experiences met with by women doctors in the early days, included Dr. Augusta Stowe Gullen, whose mother, Dr. Emily Stowe, was the first woman doctor in Canada.

To achieve that position, it was necessary for her to attend the medical college, where she was the only student of her sex.

Dr. J. W. S. McCullough, provincial M.O.H., declared that the women's hospital of Toronto, which was the only one in Canada, was at all times too modest and unassuming. Public opinion had changed greatly and there was far more confidence in women doctors than there had been in the past, he said.

English Farthing To Go

Dry Goods Trade Will Eliminate Coin From Price Calculations

The farthing, Britain's smallest coin, is doomed. Sooner or later, merchants say, it will have to disappear. The Farthing Chamber of Trade, which is the central organization of the dry goods trade, has just decided to eliminate the farthing from its price calculations. Hence small articles, such as spoons of cotton, will either be priced in half-pence or sold by twos. A farthing is worth about half an American cent.

New Canadian Industry

A cable from London, England, reads: "Following the perfection of a method for the production of artificial wool from pine needles by Italian and German scientists, a British financial and industrial corporation is in touch with the Quebec Provincial Agent's Office investigating the possibility of establishing such an industry in Quebec province."

Passenger: "What makes this train so slow?"
Conductor: "If you don't like it, get off and walk."
Passenger: "I would, only I'm not expected until train time."

The eyes of a frog when exposed to the light of a candle, will generate an electric current easily measured on a galvanometer.

He—I talked with a very interesting man today. He was a Buddhist. She—Oh, I'd love to meet him. All my regards are willing.

One kangaroo will eat as much grass daily as six sheep.

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Nurse Crops for Alfalfa

Many Advantages Are Shown For Using Nurse Crops When Seeding Alfalfa

There is considerable advantage in using a nurse-crop when seeding down alfalfa. It greatly reduces the initial cost of production, and, except where the land is exceptionally clean, helps to prevent the weeds from retarding the development of the young alfalfa plants. The stubble of the nurse-crop tends to hold the snow and thus reduce the possibility of winter killing.

Tests were made, during the last three years with wheat, oats, barley and flax as nurse crops, at the Brandon, Manitoba, Experimental Farm.

In all three years, flax, on account of its shallow root system and the small amount of shade it caused, proved the least detrimental to the young alfalfa plants. Wheat, on the average, was better than oats or barley as it stands up better and its smaller leaf development allows more sunlight to reach the alfalfa.

In the experiments the alfalfa was sown at the rate of one ton per acre, while the nurse-crop was sown at the rate of one ton per acre. The wheat was sown at a slightly smaller rate than when normally used. In seeding, the alfalfa seed was mixed with the grain in the grain box.

British Youths for Alberta Farms

Will Make Selection of Boys in England for Farm Training

Instructions are being sent to Hon. Herbert Grenfield, immigration agent for Alberta in London, to look after the selection and rearing of another 75 British boys for farm training in the government agricultural schools. These lads are to be of 18 to 21 years of age, and Mr. Grenfield, who will co-operate in the matter with the Overseas Settlement board, and the Dominion immigration officials is being asked to exercise particular care in their selection. They will come out next autumn in time for the fall term at the schools.

Hon. George Hoadley, minister of agriculture, says that the results of previous efforts in this line have been highly satisfactory, with a better average of success among the 151 boys thus far brought out under the scheme than in any similar group of new comers. It is hoped, however, to raise the standard still higher and to that end Mr. Grenfield's personal supervision in England will be invoked.

Pasture Crops for Growing Hogs

Rape Is Proven to Be Best Pasture, Being Better Than Millet or Oats

Tests of different pastures for growing hogs have been made at the Brandon, Manitoba, Experimental Farm. The pastures used were rape, millet and oats. In this experiment, rape had double the carrying capacity of either millet or oats, one eighth of an acre of rape providing forage for seven hogs for forty-eight days. The hogs on rape pasture gave an increased revenue of \$54.40 per acre over those on a bare lot, while the hogs on millet pasture gave \$20.40 and those on oats \$13.50 more per acre than the bare lot hogs.

It is important to provide shade for pigs on pasture, and to take steps to prevent stamborn especially during the first two weeks of pasturing.

His Luck Still Held

A woman with a particularly disagreeable expression had been holding forth to the man sitting next to her at the dinner party.

"Ah," she said at last: "my husband has always been lucky. As a child he was thrown by a horse, but wasn't injured; as a youth the teat broke beneath him, but he wasn't drowned; and as a young man he was caught in an avalanche, but escaped unhurt."

"Yes," put in the man, quietly, "but I rang of all he has now been married to you for twenty years and is still alive."

Housekeeper Must Be "Mrs."

Miss Victoria Grant has now become Mrs. Victoria Grant. She didn't acquire a husband, but was appointed housekeeper at Balmoral and it is a long-established custom that royal housekeepers acquire the title of "Mrs."

"Mrs. Grant" is the daughter of A. P. Grant, former head housekeeper at Balmoral, Queen Victoria was her godmother.

The amount of time given to reading a newspaper does not vary two things: the newspaper and the reader.

Visitor to studio: "What is it?"
Artist: "A sunset. Haven't you ever seen one?"
Visitor: "Yes, that's why I asked."

Our High Wealth Average

Western Provinces Have the Highest Per Capita Wealth in Canada

We hear a great deal about the wealth of the Dominion being concentrated in the east. For this the income tax figures are responsible to a large extent. It is true that there are a great many more rich individuals there than in the newer parts of the country. It is not surprising that this is so. But the fact that the returns from this income are heaviest in Ontario and Quebec does not mean that the general level of wealth is greater in those provinces than with us.

Census statistics that have just been issued show that it is not. The per capita wealth of Ontario is put at \$2,567, and that of Quebec at \$2,217, while the respective figures for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta are \$2,765, \$3,157 and \$3,247. It is the average that counts and the information that is furnished by the bureau is very enlightening. It demonstrates on what a solid basis Western Canada now rests, though it is still so near to the beginning of its development. *Economist Journal.*

Seaplanes May Be Used

Would Reduce Flying Time Between London and Paris

Folk who travel from Paris to London and vice versa by air have long deplored the loss of time occasioned by the distance of the flying field of Le Bourget and Croydon from the two cities. It occupies a twelve and three hours, where as the actual flight takes less. Experiments with seaplanes, are to be made between points in the Seine and the Thames, almost in the hearts of the two capitals, and if successful the time will be greatly reduced.

The ladders from 670 steers were used recently to make the largest leather translation belt in the world.

Bill: "Jerry is clever."

Mac: "Yes."

Bill: "He remembers Iren's birthday but forgets her name."

A pessimist is a man who prefers artificial light to genuine sunshine.



Norwegians for the West

Here are some of the two hundred Norwegians from the Nordland, Hordal and Valders districts of Norway grouped in picturesque attitudes on board Canadian Pacific steamer Montrose, who recently settled in the prairie provinces. In their own country times have been very hard since the war and they have been unable with the best will in the world to make a living. Under the circumstances, the District Council of the region decided that, rather than give them relief from the rates for an indefinite period, it would be better to pay for their transportation to Canada and to hand each adult the sum of twenty-five dollars for personal expenses on the way. This money is repayable to the council at the option of the beneficiaries. The party was under the personal supervision of Erik Flato, chief clerk in the C.P.R. offices at Bergen, who spent a month in the west to investigate conditions there at first hand and who will report on their when he returns to Norway, with a view of sending in all six hundred of these fine agricultural settlers from the district to the Dominion of Canada.

Cleaning Dairy Utensils

Boiling Water or Steam Is Necessary For Sterilizing

A plentiful supply of boiling water or steam is a necessity for the cleaning and sterilizing of pails and other utensils if a bacteriologically clean milk is to be obtained. Detailed instructions for cleaning dairy utensils is contained in a new pamphlet on "Producing Clean Milk" issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The utensils should be cleaned in cold or lukewarm water immediately after using, and then they should be washed well in warm water to which soda or a dairy cleaning powder has been added.

After washing, the utensils should be rinsed in clean hot water to remove traces of the cleaning solution. But even this is not altogether sufficient. Utensils that appear to be perfectly clean may contain many thousands of germs. Where steam treatment is available the sterilizing is best done by placing the utensils in a closed container and blowing steam into it for 15 minutes. Inverting the cans or pails over a steaming jet for a couple of minutes is also a good method. When live steam is not available the utensils should be immersed in scalding water for at least two minutes. Don't use a cloth to dry the utensils as it will only add germs.

Clean utensils, however, are only one item in the production of clean milk. Equal care must be taken at every stage from the time the milk leaves the cow until it is consumed or used in manufacture. What the necessary precautions are, is told in the new pamphlet which may be obtained from the publications branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Our Modern Marvels

Apparently we need not expect television to be in practical operation for some time. Still, evidence goes ahead rapidly nowadays. Before we know it, the radio set may have become a multidimensional set. The tales that occupied a thousand and one Arabian nights no longer hold any greater wonders than our modern marvels.

The same postscript has been kept in the same family for more than 200 years at Eskilstuna, in northern Sweden. Since 1795 fathers and sons of the Meurling family have been elected to the office.

Coronation Chair Most Famous

But Others Worthy of Notice Have Been Preserved for Centuries

The coronation chair in Westminster Abbey, which contains the Stone of Destiny, probably is the most famous chair in the world but there are many others worthy of notice. The chair in which the hapless Charles I. sat during his trial in Westminster hall is kept in a glass case in the beard room of the Cottage hospital, Gloucestershire. At Longford Castle, Wilts, London, is an armchair of solid steel presented to Emperor Rudolph II, by the people of Augsburg in 1577.

It is said thirty years were required to make this chair, and it is valued at \$200,000. It is covered with historical and syncretical scenes, each said to be the work of a great master. One of the most beautiful chairs is that of Dagobert, king of the Franks, who died in 638. It is made of cast and chased bronze of fine workman-ship.

One Way to Solve Problem

Seen in Utah Mountains Impresses in Carl's All People Over Party

That life has become extremely complicated of recent years cannot be denied, and the problem of coping with it is one that is exercising the whole world. There is, however, one seat which considers it has solved the problem.

This seat called "The Underground" including a complete part of the Utah Mountains. It has come to the conclusion that life is too complicated to be dealt with by anyone over the age of forty. Consequently, any person who reaches that age is put away with solemn rites.

The unfortunate person, on his or her fortieth birthday, is conducted with high candles and melancholy sounds to the cellar of his or her house. There under the fatal age then return upstairs to celebrate the removal of the useless one, who never again sees daylight, and when dead is buried in the same cellar.

Old Spanish Recipe Found

Record in Monastery Tells How to Make Table Delicacy

Spain's "lost hood" has been rediscovered in the recipes of an old monastery, and now is all the rage as a table delicacy. It is a sort of fritter with a cinnamon flavor. The old recipe is as follows: Cut ordinary white bread into fingers, and pour over them the yolk of one egg beaten up in a glass of Malaga wine. Dip the soaked strips in beaten egg and fry to a golden brown in deep boiling lard. Drain well and sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar.

Assembling a Meal

President Batsell Baxter of Abilene college said at a Lincoln's birthday reception in Abilene:

"School teachers and college professors don't grow rich, but at that they're better off than they were in Lincoln's time."

"Lincoln used to tell a story about a school teacher who said to his pupils one day:

"If each child will bring an egg to school tomorrow I will show you how Christopher Columbus made the egg stand on end. Those who cannot bring an egg kindly bring a piece of ham."

Keeping a Secret

They were discussing whether women or men were the most trustworthy in business.

"No woman can keep a secret," said one man, scornfully.

"I don't know so much about that," retorted the frowning looking woman seated opposite him. "I've kept my age a secret ever since I was 24."

"Oh," he replied, "you'll let it out one day though. Mark my words."

"Never!" she exclaimed. "When a woman has kept a secret twenty years she can keep it forever."

Alberta Oil Development

The Union Oil Co. of California has closed a contract to drill another deep test well in the new Wildcat oil fields of Alberta for the Canadian Western Natural Gas, Light, Heat & Power Co., a subsidiary of the International Utilities Co. The Union Company is also to drill a deep test well in the Viking field, while the Imperial Oil Co. is drilling a 3,500 feet well on another large block belonging to the International Utilities Corporation.

Mrs. Waring (on the phone): "Hello, is this the Information Bureau?"

Voice: "Yes, madam. What do you wish to know?"

Mrs. Waring: "Well, if it isn't too much trouble would you please tell me how much Mrs. Taylor paid for her spring hat?"

The World's Storm Factory

Worst Weather Experienced Between Thirtieth and Seventieth Parallel of Latitude

We think of the Arctic region as a country of terrible frosts and storms. This is a mistake. The severest degree of latitude, which runs through the middle of Greenland, the north of Alaska, and the top of Siberia to the North Pole, is a fine weather area. Storms are rare, the snowfall is not great and the barometer stands high and steady for weeks on end.

South of latitude thirty—that is, a line running through Southern China, North Africa and cutting the American continent from New Orleans through Northern Mexico—we have another broad belt of fine weather. Not so steadily fine as farther north; yet a space where the barometer is usually high and where it is possible to predict the weather for some days in advance.

It is between these two parallels of latitude that the world's worst weather is experienced. The whole of the North Atlantic between these parallels is a breeding place of bad weather, and a large part of the United States and Canada may be included under the same heading. The British Isles lie in the worst part of this vast storm factory, and are subject to changes of climate more rapid than those experienced in any other part of the Northern Hemisphere.

Conditions in the Southern Hemisphere are somewhat similar to those in the North, only worse. Owing to the size and height of the Antarctic Continent the cold at the South Pole is far greater than at the North, and the zone of bad weather is broader.

Thousand Traitorous Words

Interesting Dictionary Achievement Revealed in French Court Case

Eleven hundred "traitorous words," essentially alike in English and French, but quite different in meaning, have been dug out of the dictionary. It took a lawsuit to bring this to public notice. A young philologist, M. Koesseler, attached to the Sorbonne, found 400 of these words, but to supplement his work, he arranged with Professor Derocour of Lille to add him. The professor found 700 more words. When Koesseler, the printers' proofs he learned his name was to be second on the title page and objected.

The French court settled the dispute by ordering that the two names be put on the same line with a long space between them, making it appear they were on an equality. It is decided, however, that Koesseler, as the originator, ought to have his name at the left, so it would be read first.

Queer Custom In India

Widow Wears Husband's Skull on Chain for a Year

A widow of the Isle of Andaman, off the coast of India, is not permitted by custom to forget her husband quickly for a new suitor, said Miss Gertrude Emily Banham, English globe trotter, who passed through San Francisco, recently on route to Guatemala.

Miss Banham said that in Andaman when a husband dies his widow wears his skull on a chain for a year. During the second half of that period she adds his belongings in memory of happy arguments they had. At the end of the year she puts away the jawbone and the skull and is open to new proposals.

The traveler displayed the jawbone of somebody's husband, the widow owner having acquired a fresh jawbone, which at last reports was still waggling.

One or the Other

The bashful bachelor encountered a neighbor, a young mother, and wishing to be neighborly, asked:

"How is your little girl, Mrs. Jones?"

"My little boy is quite well, thank you," replied the proud mother.

"Oh, it's a boy!" exclaimed the bachelor, in confusion. "I knew it was one of the other."

Record Price for Steer

A record price of \$590.00 was realized by "Elapses Lad," at the sale of prize cattle at the Brandon Winter Fair recently. This steer won the boys' and girls' calf-feeding competition for his young owner, Glen Campbell.

Many Immigrants Arriving

For eleven months of the last fiscal year, ended February 28th last, 123,750 immigrants entered Canada. This is more than the record for the whole of the previous fiscal year.

Embarrassing Position Experienced By Bronx Lady

Miss Jeanne Ginsberg, Bronx, N. Y., writes: "I had become accustomed to arising early each day with a heavy head, dizzy and had taste in my mouth. My bowels were frequently clogged and constipated. One day I became so sick to my stomach I had to leave an important job and go home. A friend advised me to take CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. I felt greatly relieved since using them and whenever my stomach and head goes bad again I'll certainly know what to do."

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are sugar coated, small, easy to swallow, purely vegetable, and relieve the bowels free from pain. They tone the system as they are purely vegetable and do not contain Mercury, Calomel or other poisonous drugs.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS, 25c, and 75c, red packages.

Strange, Romantic Love Adventures of the Glapper you know!

Joanna

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"You mean," she said, "that I may marry you, but have someone else and invite him to have me? That if I do that it will be quite all right, with you, my husband, and that if I do all this, why, I may keep my money?"

"Just that," he answered shortly. "Your money, and your love."

When she did not speak, at once he went on with a marvellous power.

"The man you are thinking of will not hesitate, I imagine, to take full advantage of such an arrangement. He has shown himself to be amenable to any kind of conditions. While we are here, tonight, he is kneeling before satin slippers that were never worn by your feet. You have come down with him as you would like to have done only because he was afraid to bind himself to you. Free him from that fear, and offer him another way; and I fancy, he will not be so elusive. Perhaps I might add that by giving me yourself, as my wife, mind you, you will not only retain your money, but you will solve the problem of retaining—him."

She stared into his eyes for a long time, then dropped into the chair. "Would you mind," she asked, "devising me something to drink? My throat is parched."

Then she hurried her head in her arms.

Without a word Brandon went to the door and signalled the waiter, who had remained on the balcony in the vicinity of the door. The man hurried away. Brandon returned to the chair and stood by the side of the limp form of the girl. He touched her hand delicately. She put up her head in mute appeal for help. He shook his head, and then, with a shrug of his shoulders went to the fireplace.

When the waiter brought in the champagne with glasses arranged on the tray, Brandon signed him to deposit it on the table, and waved him out of the room. Joanna stirred and lifted herself, by bracing against the table, to her feet.

Mrs. E. Searls Broadcasts Good News



Hartill Studio

Woodstock, Ont.—"I found Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription excellent as a tonic and nerve medicine. I was in a rundown, weakened state of health. My nerves were all upset. I could not sleep and had very little appetite. I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and found it very helpful. It sharpened up my appetite, strengthened my nerves, and I could sleep. It built me up in health and I felt better in every way. I think the 'Favorite Prescription' is the finest medicine any woman can take." Mrs. E. Searls, 671 Canterbury St.

Any drug store, in tablets or liquid, or send the Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeport, Ont., for trial pkg. of tablets.

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him, and called to a knot of chauffeurs who stood in the mist-dimmed glare of a powerful headlight discussing, no doubt, the affairs of their masters. None of these responded. He went then into the yard, and among the parked cars he found the hunched shape of Antoine and spoke to him. Antoine, wondering, asked that Monsieur Brandon was his patron.

"Very well then," the attendant commanded, "be so good as to bring your car to the entrance. Your master seems to be remaining. Mademoiselle, his young girl, apparently brings his order for you to take her down the mountain. You can't make it, of course, but that is his and her affair, not mine."

Antoine growled his doubts of such a situation. They were cut short by Joanna herself, who appeared suddenly at the side of the car in the wake of the chauffeur. "I do not desire to be taken down the mountain," she declared. "Your master, however, requires you, inside at once. I am to await your return, with him perhaps, in the car. Please to go at once."

Both Antoine and the servant were puzzled, but Joanna broke through in obeying her commands. To Antoine she repeated: "I bring your master's orders. Attend to them! The attendant here will show you the way to Mr. Brandon. He awaits you in the private room, on the balcony. Still dubious about this sudden humor to expose him to possible identification by the mask eyes in the dim house Antoine descended from the car and stumbled along behind the other man. Joanna climbed into the seat he had vacated. When their two forms disappeared across the veranda she felt with her foot for the starter, found it, kicked it, and in another moment was guiding the gray car toward the gate.

When she was safely through the gate she disappeared in the night. The curious chauffeur who had watched her manœuvre heard the echo of her horn until it, too, was absorbed by the thick, opaque atmosphere. "That's the one they call the Golden Girl," one of the drivers explained to his companions. "Pity, isn't it, to see a young girl like her clear gone to the devil?"

Antoine, led at his request through kitchens and sculleries, was brought to the closed door on the balcony. The guardian waiter opened the door for him. Brandon's eyelids were beginning to quiver. The exorable waiter would have turned out of the room with a cry of alarm had Antoine clutched him by the throat and smothered the sounds in it. "Quietly, my friend, quietly," he murmured. "There's something to hide here, not to advertise. Bring the proprietor, or his assistant—quickly!"

At the end of an hour's patient waiting behind the locked door Brandon, stretched on a divan, held his eyes open and gazed around his first feebly uttered question was: "Where's the girl. The Made-moiselle?"

The club house director would have shaken Antoine's complaint that she had stolen his car, but the Montague would not be restrained. Through the bandage nearest about Brandon's head something of a desecrated island escaped. "Is just as well," he murmured. "He of course, my good Antoine! I failed, but I fancy you and your men will be paid double for your little private trouble."

"That she will give the alarm here!" the other exclaimed. "Before morning! After dawn it would be futile; we contemplated an alarm by fire; we contemplated an alarm by fire."

Bladder Weakness Remedied by Gin Pills

Buffalo man recommends them for kidney and bladder trouble

Gin Pills bring you quick relief from urinary and bladder troubles. They soothe the kidneys and bladder and get rid of that burning sensation; the frequent desire to urinate is overcome; brick dust deposits disappear. You can again enjoy comfort by day and sound sleep by night. Thousands of people are relieved of bladder and kidney troubles every year. Read what George F. Doetterl, Buffalo, N. Y., says of Gin Pills:

"I suffered from bladder weakness and frequent urination. I had tried other kidney remedies, but got no relief. Added to take Gin Pills. I did so, and after taking half a box noticed much improvement. I am sincerely recommending these pills to anyone suffering from kidney and bladder derangement."

If you have headaches, backache, acid, pain in the kidneys, dizziness, frequent urination or swollen joints, Gin Pills will correct them. See a box at all druggists. The National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto, Canada.

BILIOUSNESS

Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Constipation easily avoided and liver aroused without calomel Chamberlain's Tablets Never sicken or gripe—25c

down when the men get down. But not before! You did not keep her here—ill down, so you agreed!" (To Be Continued.)

Weight of British Debt

Amount Owed to Stripes Placed at 6,700 Tons of Gold

Great Britain's debt to the United States would make a lump of gold weighing 6,700 tons, 14-in. Col. J. S. Armstrong, secretary for the Dominions, estimated in a speech at the annual dinner of the Mining and Metallurgical Institute, London, last night.

"Therefore," he added, "our debt to America is more one for the prospector and mining engineer than for the financier."

The British debt to the United States was funded in 1922 at \$1,600,000,000.

Is More Than Pleased

With Results He Got

Manitoba Man Speaks Highly of Dodd's Kidney Pills

Mr. W. G. Kemble Used Dodd's Kidney Pills for Weak Kidneys and Found Them Very Beneficial.

Minneapolis, Man. (Special) — The following is one of the many letters of praise which we are continually receiving. It comes from Mr. W. G. Kemble, of Waterloo Street, W. I. "I was told to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and must say I have to thank the person many times for telling me about Dodd's Kidney Pills. They brought me great relief. I would not be without them."

That Mr. Kemble's trouble came from the kidneys is evidenced by the relief he got from Dodd's Kidney Pills. When the kidneys become clogged or out of order, the circulation becomes sluggish, the impurities are not strained out of the blood and the result is weakness and lack of energy all over the body. This condition is not only disagreeable but dangerous as well. The impurities in the blood are the seeds of disease. Guard against these diseases and get back your accustomed energy by using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Had New Experience At Bird Sanctuary

Famous Naturalist Proves That "Wild Geese" Are Not Wild

Jack Miner, famous naturalist, whose bird sanctuary at Kingsville, is one of the show places of Ontario, has contended for a long time that the Canadian wild goose is not wild. He is human beings that wild. He had a new experience while entertaining a party of visitors at his place, who arrived there at dawn to see geese flock from the lake to his ponds. He was attempting to show the visitors how he chases the birds from one pond to another—the simple act of throwing corn cobs at them. There was a goose, which would not be persuaded, after three or four cobs at the bird, but in vain. Finally, with determination he hit one of the birds. It merely flapped its wings, and continued to swim. "That certainly proves that the wild goose is not as wild as it is supposed to be," Miner declared.

Many mothers can testify to the virtue of Mother's Grain Food. Experience, because they know from experience how useful it is.

Veteran 'Mountie' Dead

John Stuttaford Member of First Contingent to Reach MacLeod

John Stuttaford, 55, believed to be the last survivor of the first contingent of Royal North West Mounted Police to reach MacLeod in 1873, died there recently after the best part of a lifetime spent in Alberta.

Mr. Stuttaford acted as MacLeod with the famous French police expedition, the year before Colonel MacLeod headed his force into the territories. He lived in MacLeod ever since.

The dead veteran was buried here with full military honors, a unique feature of the ceremonies being that six veterans of the police expedition of 1874 acted as pall-bearers.

"Customer: 'Oh, dear, no! I simply could not walk a step in shoes that pinch like that.' Shoe Clerk: 'No, sorry, madam, but you've tried on all our different styles. These shoes are the ones you were wearing when you came in.'"

A soft bed will build as much mental energy for the sleeper in six hours as a hard bed will in eight. Is the conclusion reached by a noted psychologist.

Germany's Burden Easy

Tax Load of Englishman Is Two Thirds More Than Taxon's

Once more the British will have brought home to them the truth that war is an expensive business. Already the most heavily taxed people in the world, they heard from Winston Churchill that they must get more taxes to meet the annual \$280,000,000 and \$230,000,000.

Of this tremendous sum, which, it is calculated, means that every Englishman works one day in five for the Government, half goes for debt charges. Of this \$110,000,000, more than nine-tenths goes toward caring for the \$2,700,000,000 or \$25,000,000,000 the World War cost Britain.

This calls attention to how much more it is costing Britain to liquidate her war expenditures than it is costing Germany. Using dollars for ease of calculation the English Government owes \$25,000,000,000 her debt charges are \$2,000,000,000 annually. Germany, having when out her debt, owes the Allies plan annuities the present total value of which is estimated at \$11,000,000,000. Under the maximum annuities she pays \$600,000,000 yearly. She pays two-thirds of that amount this year.

Thus it will be seen that it is costing Germany taxpayers about one-third as much as it is costing British taxpayers to care for the war debt. The French this year appropriate \$3,000,000,000 francs, or about \$900,000,000. The debt charges are about the same proportion to the budget as the British but less than half on a gold basis. The French war debt cost is thus 50 per cent. more than the German maximum.

Uncanny Imitation Of Human Voice

English Inventor Makes Organ-pipe Reed Speak Clearly

By the use of an organ-pipe reed, his fingers and a bellows operated by foot, an English inventor has succeeded in imitating the human voice to an extent that is amazing. The reed serves as the vocal organ and the fingers as the tongue and lips. He recently produced the sentence: "Hello, London; are you there?" as clearly as if he were telephoning from New York. It is claimed that the experiment proves that the human voice is largely a mechanical result of muscular and nervous action.

THAT BABY OF YOURS

Keep Him Well With the Aid of Baby's Own Tablets

No matter how strong and rosy your child may be he requires a laxative sometimes so that the stomach may be kept sweet and the system clean.

Formerly the laxative medicines used for children were disagreeable—orange-cakes, oil,enna tea, powders and so on. But now Baby's Own Tablets, easily administered and pleasant to take, have superseded these. The children like Baby's Own Tablets.

Not only as a laxative but in many other ways these Tablets are an ideal remedy for little ones. They quickly reduce feverishness, relieve indigestion, colic, constipation, prevent constipation, check diarrhoea, allay teething pains and promote healthy, natural sleep.

You can get Baby's Own Tablets at any dealer in medicine or at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

222nd Battalion Re-Union

Association to be Formed of Former Members of This Unit

At a Re-Union Dinner of the 222nd Battalion held in Winnipeg recently, it was decided to form an Association for the purpose of having an annual Re-Union, and keeping former members of the unit in touch with each other. Full particulars of the association can be obtained by communicating with Lt. Col. Jas. Lightfoot, of Lightfoot's Transfer Co., Winnipeg, or Mr. Jas. Roberts, c/o Hydro Office, King St., Winnipeg. It is hoped to make this association a real stress and an former member of the battalion are urged to send in their names and addresses.

Minard's Liniment soothes tired feet.

Many Radio Phone Calls

The Postmaster-General announced that to the end of March the number of trans-Atlantic radio telephone calls passing between England and America was 257 westward and 288 eastward.

No need to suffer with corns, or to run the risk of paring them. Remove them surely and painlessly with Holway's Corn Remover.

In 1868 the first regularly equipped government fish hatchery on this continent was erected by the Dominion of Canada at Newcastle, Ontario.

Going fishing—take Minard's Liniment.

Splendid Washboards



Built to LAST!

Here's a washboard so strong that a big, 165 pound man can stand on it without damaging it in the slightest way.

That tough SMP Pearl Enamel rubber surface is mighty interesting, and the rest of the board is built in the same way. The remarkable wearing quality of this sturdy washboard demonstrate the lifelong wear you get from all SMP Enamel Ware utensils. Made by that old established Canadian company,

THE SHEPHERD METAL PRODUCTS CO. OF CANADA
MONTREAL TORONTO WINNIPEG
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SMP Enameled WARE

Little Helps For This Week

That all may learn, and all may be comforted.—I Cor. xiv. 21.

When God touches us the clearest sight.

He does not frown our eyes with love, but sorrow.

We must suffer in ourselves before we can truly have others, and we must suffer greatly before we can love widely. Why it is so we may not be able to tell, unless it be that only thus do we gain a thorough knowledge of ourselves. There is in the heart of man a secret chamber where God has put all humanity and Himself; touch the door with the hand of suffering and it flies open, and man finds himself one with all others, and God Himself in the midst of them.

—Theodore T. Munroe.

Develop Fort McMurray Tar Sands

Arrangements by the Alapake Co. of California, to invest a \$200,000 plant at Fort McMurray, Alberta, for the development and extraction of asphaltic deposits in the tar sands there are nearing completion.

The American quick lunch, with its high stools, flipping flapjacks, orders of "clam art" and shrill cries of waiters, has invaded Mexico City.

The little stuff will be immediately laid to rest sandwiches at the new white fronts.

The indications of worn are restlessness, grinding of the teeth, pleating of the nose, extreme nervousness, often convulsions. Under these conditions one of the best remedies that can be got, is Miller's Worm Powders. They will attack the worms as soon as administered and they pass away in the evacuations. The little stuff will be immediately laid to rest and a return of the attack will not be likely.

Girl students at Williams and Mary College who do not make eighty in their studies may not have "dates" and other social privileges.

When I had taken the one box I felt quite a lot better. I had taken the two boxes I felt great. I had taken the three boxes I felt great. I had taken the four boxes I felt great. I had taken the five boxes I felt great. I had taken the six boxes I felt great. I had taken the seven boxes I felt great. I had taken the eight boxes I felt great. I had taken the nine boxes I felt great. I had taken the ten boxes I felt great. I had taken the eleven boxes I felt great. I had taken the twelve boxes I felt great. I had taken the thirteen boxes I felt great. I had taken the fourteen boxes I felt great. I had taken the fifteen boxes I felt great. I had taken the sixteen boxes I felt great. I had taken the seventeen boxes I felt great. I had taken the eighteen boxes I felt great. I had taken the nineteen boxes I felt great. I had taken the twenty boxes I felt great. I had taken the twenty-one boxes I felt great. I had taken the twenty-two boxes I felt great. 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CHINOOK UNITED CHURCH

Sunday School 11.00 a.m.
Divine Worship 3.30 p.m.
Rev. A. G. Gay, B.A., Pastor.

At the Elevators

(Prices Paid Yesterday)

Wheat	
1 Northern	1.21
2 Northern	1.16
3 Northern	1.09
Oats	
2 C. W.	.44
3 C. W.	.41
No. 1 Feed	.34
Flax	
1 N. W.	1.60
2 C. W.	1.55
Rejected	1.45
Produce	
Eggs	
Butter	

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Wheat Pool Notes

Hanna townspeople and Hanna farmers are planning on a united drive to put over a one hundred per cent sign-up of the new Wheat Pool contracts, according to information received at the Pool head office.

Alberta Wheat Pool Directors have decided that the 6 per cent interest accumulating on Elevator Reserve Accounts, should be paid out to the members in all cases where it amounts to \$1 or over. Payments of this interest from August 31, 1925, to August 31, 1926, on deductions made from the 1924 crop, will therefore, be made about the end of May, and mean a total distribution of approximately \$20,000.

Amounts under \$1.00 will simply be added to the Members' accounts and carried forward to the following year.

The lease of Vancouver Terminal Elevator No. 2 by the Alberta Wheat Pool has been finally signed and the Pool takes over this terminal on August 1. The rental for the first year is \$100,000 and will be slightly higher for succeeding years.

Speakers from Alberta will occupy places of honor and importance at the International Wheat Pool conference to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, on May 5, 6 and 7. H. W. Wood, chairman of the board of directors of the Alberta Pool, will deliver a public address on the afternoon of the first day, and Premier J. E. Brownlee will deliver an address at the banquet that evening.

The ore crushing mill recently installed at the Dunwell mine at Stewart, B.C., is now operating and handling 100 tons of ore daily.

Meeting of Collingwood Council

The regular meeting of the Collingwood Municipal Council was held on Saturday, April 23. All members were present.

The monthly financial statement presented by the Secretary was approved.

That the Secretary arrange the sale of N. W. 3/4 of Sec. 2-26-8, w. 4, to W. Nordblom.

W. W. Wilson was appointed Auditor for 1927, at a salary of \$100.00.

The Secretary was instructed to take Tax Title to some eighty quarter sections of land.

R. Mayhew was appointed Pound-keeper for Township 28, Range 7, w. 4.

The municipal mill rate was set at 8 mills.

A number of bills were passed and ordered to be paid.

The Council adjourned to meet again on Saturday, May 28.

Pool Buy Elevator at Chinook

The local shareholders of the U.G.G. elevator at Chinook, has received word that the elevator at this point has been sold to the Alberta Pool Elevators Ltd., and will be turned over to them about June 30 next.

Seeding Commenced
In Chinook District

The fine weather over the week-end helped to dry up the land, and several farmers in the Chinook district commenced seeding on Tuesday. By the end of the week if the weather keeps favorable seeding will be general.

Tennis Club to Arrange Tournament
And Grand Dance

Arrangements are underway for a big tennis tournament at Chinook on the 24th of May. The club also intend to put on a grand dance in the evening. Watch for full particulars in next week's issue.

The Chinook ladies card club met at the home of Mrs. Robinson on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Elliott won the prize a beautiful piece of linen cut work. The members will meet next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. McKenzie.

GARDEN TIME

Poets and philosophers tell of the satisfaction obtained from cultivation of flower and vegetable gardens, but the practice is not as general as could be wished. In many places there is much less gardening than there was some years ago. People have too many things they want to do with their spare time.

In many cities and towns, however, the garden movement has been pushed as a community proposition. People have been urged in a systematic way, to decorate their grounds with shrubbery and flowers, and some of the communities have developed an amazing amount of this beautiful thing.

Home pride is the motive that can best be relied upon to promote the gardening movement. If you spend a little more time and money beautifying your place this season, your neighbor will probably fall in line and do the same thing.

Regarding vegetables, why every one knows the advantage of the back yard garden. There is nothing like fresh home grown vegetables.

Our Oriental Population

According to the census of 1921, the Oriental population of Canada consisted of 39,578 Chinese, 15,868 Japanese, 11,416; Turks, 313; and a few Syrians, Egyptians, and Arabs.

UNCLAIMED MEDALS

In information has been received that there are in stock at National Defence Headquarters, Ottawa, 1,915 unclaimed 1914-15 Stars, 6,636 British War Medals and 40,390 Victory Medals, together with a number of Distinguished Conduct Medals, Military Medals, Medals of the Order of the British Empire, Meritorious Service Medals and French Medals.

The authorities desire to dispose of these Medals, etc., as quickly as possible and ex-soldiers who have served Overseas and have not yet received their Medals or Decorations are requested to make immediate application to the Department of National Defence (Director of Records) Ottawa, giving Regimental Number, Rank, Name and C.E.F. Unit, and present Post Office address, when the medal or decoration will be forwarded.

Mothers of Chinook and District

Have you heard about the Annual Mother's Day Service to be held in Chinook United Church on Sunday, May 8, at 7.30 p.m.? All mothers in charge, speaking, choir, offering, etc. In honour of Mother and the Home. All Mothers should attend. Everyone welcome.

Fordson Tractor Demonstration

Messrs. Cooley Bros., of Chinook will give a demonstration of what can be accomplished with a Fordson tractor on the Martin farm south of the railroad track next Saturday afternoon, April 30th. Come and see this tractor work.

I. W. Deman is a visitor in Calgary this week.

J. M. Davis returned this morning from Winnipeg.

A silver fox farm has been organized at Outlook, Sask. Ten pairs of silver-tipped foxes, valued at \$10,000, are on hand.

PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS

Under the Tax Recovery Act 1922

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF SOUNDING CREEK, No. 273

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1922, and amendments thereto, the following described lands will be offered for sale, by Public Auction, at the Municipal Office, situated in the Town of Youngstown, Province of Alberta, on Saturday, May 14th, 1927, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m.

Pl. of Sec.	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.	Pl. of Sec.	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	Mer.
S.W.	8	29	7	4	S.W.	35	30	7	4
N.E.	13	29	7	4	S.E.	7	30	8	4
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S.E.	13	29	7	4	S.W.	17	30	8	4
S.W.	13	29	7	4	N.W.	13	30	9	4
N.W.	17	29	7	4	S.W.	13	30	9	4
N.W.	20	29	7	4	S.E.	19	30	9	4
S.W.	20	29	7	4	S.E.	24	30	9	4
N.E.	32	29	7	4	N.W.	23	30	9	4
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N.W.	33	29	7	4	N.W.	15	31	7	4
S.W.	33	29	7	4	N.W.	25	31	7	4
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Each parcel will be offered subject to a reserve bid, and the reservations contained in the existing Certificates of Title, and reserving thereon all mines and minerals. Redemption may be effected by payment of the full amount of arrears and costs at any time prior to the sale. TERMS CASH.

DATED at Youngstown, Alberta, this 21st day of March, 1927.

J. E. McLEOD,

Secretary-Treasurer.

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Wednesday Half Holiday

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During the Months of
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Provided that no such Wednesday is preceded or followed by a public or statutory holiday.

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For Rent—Four roomed house with good garden. Apply at The Advance Office, Chinook.

Farm For Sale

If you are looking for a cheap farm on which to locate see the North East quarter of Section 13-28-7, w. 4. This is a good quarter section of land, close to town, and can be purchased, clear of all encumbrances, for the low sum of \$2,000 per acre. Apply at the Advance Office.

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Visiting brethren cordially welcomed.

J. W. LAWRENCE,

W. M.

R. V. LAWRENCE,

Secretary

CANADIAN NATIONAL EUROPEAN TOURS

A maximum of travel through particularly interesting countries at a minimum of expense is provided in the Canadian National Educational Tours this summer through Scotland, England, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Italy.

Two tours have been arranged and sailing will be made from Montreal, July 8, on the S.S. "Andania," direct to Glasgow. Very careful attention has been given to itineraries involved.

Tour No. 1 is a 37-day trip on sea and land, visiting important cities in Scotland, England, France, Belgium, Switzerland. All expenses, \$372.50, Montreal to Great Britain and the Continent and return to Montreal.

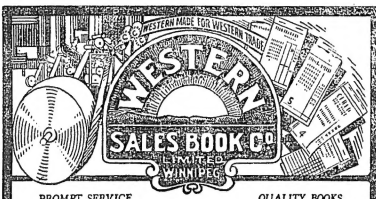
Tour No. 2 is a 51-day trip on sea and land, visiting in Scotland, England, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Italy. All expenses, \$501.00, Montreal to Great Britain and the Continent and return to Montreal.

There will be low excursion fares to the seaboard from points in the Prairie Provinces.

The tours will be personally conducted from Western Canada, and while overseas will be under the direct care and supervision of thoroughly responsible and reliable organizations, fully qualified in every particular to successfully look after the interests of our patrons.

The sight-seeing program is very complete and generous. Motor coaches and automobiles are freely used. All sight-seeing is well planned to see the worth-while places within the time at our disposal. Competent lecturers will reveal to our patrons the outstanding features, literary, historic, artistic or scenic of the Old World centres visited.

O. B. Elliott, local agent for the Canadian National Railways, will be glad to discuss these tours and arrange all details.



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